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In re application of:

Yoshihiko MINACHI, et al.

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For:

Ferrite Magnet Powder, Sintered Magnet, Bond

Magnet, and Magnetic Recording Medium

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(Col. 2) HIGHEST NUME PREVIOUSLY PAII		(Col. 3) PRESENT EXTRA*	LG/SM \$ ENTITY FEE		DD'L
TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	19	-	20	**	0	LG=\$52 SM=\$26	\$	0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE	4	-	5	***	0	LG=\$220 SM=\$110	\$	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS  LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$360 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$180								0
ADDITIONAL SIZE FEE (IF ANY) (TOTAL PAGES OF SPEC AND DRAWINGS TOGETHER) \$250 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL 50 SHEETS								0
Independent Claims: 1, 9, 17, 18								0

If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

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> Respectfully submitted. HOGAN & HARTSON L.L.P.

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